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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, PFOR, CASC, ET, US (HANNA RICHARD)

SUBJECT: HANNA CASE : PMG CHARGE ESPIONAGE

REF: ADDIS ABABA 7666

SUBJECT YOUR COMMENTS DEPT SUGGESTS THAT, IN RESPONSE TO QUERIES ON HANNA CASE YOU CATEGORICALLY DENY THAT HANNA WAS ENGAGED IN ESPIONAGE ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND SAY THAT HE HAD SO INFORMED PMG. FYI WHILE E ARE NOT DESIROUS OF PROLONGING CONFRONTATION WITH THE PMG OR STIMULATING FURTHER PRESS STORIES, WE FEEL THAT A NO COMMENT, RESPONSE WOULD BE INTERPRETED TO MEAN THAT HANNA AS GUILTY OF SUCH ACTION. END FYI IF QUERIED ON OTHER ACCUSATIONS AGAINST HIM YOU MAY DISCLOSE INFORMATION ON HIS PASSPORT - WE UNDERSTAND THAT IT HAD EXPIRED - BUT DECLINE TO COMMENT ON THE OTHER ACTIVITIES CITED. INGERSOLL
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